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Docket No. HUM00-23 (2976-4037)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Tim KEITH et al.

Group Art Unit: 1655

Serial No.: 09/627,465

Examiner: Juliet C. Einsmann

Filed: July 28, 2000

For: NOVEL HUMAN GENES RELATING TO RESPIRATORY DISEASES AND OBESITY

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for an Amendment in response to the Office Action mailed June 19, 2002.

2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested

☒ is filed herewith.

☐ has been filed on _____.

3. ☐ Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.

☐ Statement has already been filed

4.		Total Months Requested	Fee for Other than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
a.	<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
b.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$400.00	\$200.00
c.	<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$920.00	\$460.00
d.	<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,440.00	\$720.00
e.	<input type="checkbox"/>	five months	\$1,960.00	\$980.00
f.	<input type="checkbox"/>	An extension for _____ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$_____), minus the fee previously paid (\$_____) equals \$_____ (total fee due).		

5. ☒ A check in the amount of \$400.00 to cover the extension fee is attached.

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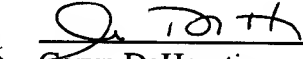
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6. ☐ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. _____. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 2976-4037. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: November 19, 2002

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